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Colleen McMahon

BY ECF

Honorable Colleen McMahon
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007

Re: United States v. Malik Sanchez,
21 Cr. 269 (CM)

Dear Judge McMahon:

I write to request that the Court modify Malik Sanchez's bail conditions to enable him to participate in a GED and work readiness program through Opportunities for a Better Tomorrow ("OBT"). OBT has accepted Mr. Sanchez into its program, with classes to begin on September 13. See Exhibit A (OBT Letter).

A bail modification is needed because OBT class meetings are being conducted virtually in light of the pandemic. Mr. Sanchez is presently allowed to use the internet only for communications with counsel, mental health counselors, and Pretrial Services. Mindful of Mr. Sanchez's bail conditions, OBT proposes to have him come to the OBT offices in Sunset Park, Brooklyn, to access the internet under the supervision of OBT staff for class work only. I request that the Court modify Mr. Sanchez's bail conditions to permit him to access the internet under these conditions. ✓

Pretrial Services consents to this request. The government defers to Pretrial Services.

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Respectfully submitted,

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